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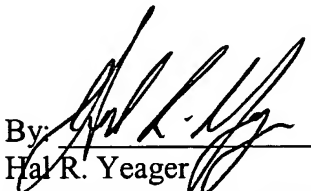
1. A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Non-provisional Application Filing Date Granted, mailed January 25, 2002;
2. The Declaration for Patent Application signed by the inventors pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.63;
3. Applicant takes this opportunity to submit herewith a priority document 2000-399425 for the above-identified application.

4. A check in the amount of \$130.00 to cover the surcharge in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.16(e) for filing of missing parts of the application.

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Respectfully submitted,

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- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
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